

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	:	Ketelslegers, et al.
App. No	:	10/593,372
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For	:	PROGNOSTIC METHODS FOR CONGESTIVE HEART FAILURE
Examiner	:	James Grun
Art Unit	:	1641
Conf No.	:	8858

AMENDMENT**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action sent September 29, 2009, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to enter the following amendments and consider the following arguments.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 4 of this paper. A "Replacement Sheet" for each sheet of drawings being amended can be found in the Appendix.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.